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### CHELTENHAM ANNUALS

THE LIST—Because we have found them to be the most satisfactory plants for continuous bloom under average conditions, our annual specialties are Petunias and Verbenas; they are available in a variety of pleasing shades which can be worked into the most subtle color scheme.

There are many attractive annuals not listed here because there is not sufficient demand for them, but if you want Arctotis, Scabiosa, or some other favored annual we can grow it for you at no extra charge (unless you order less than \$1.00 worth of one variety), provided the order is placed in February, or early March.

SIZE AND PRICE — Annuals are offered in various sizes, but we do not grow all varieties in all sizes. In general, plants offered at \$.85 per dozen are in three inch veneer bands, those at \$1.00 per dozen come from 3 inch pots, and the \$1.25 per dozen plants from 3½ inch pots. For early planting annuals from bands are usually as good in every way as those

from pots, but for late transplanting potted plants are much superior.

The seedlings offered are sown in rows in the cold frame, and are not transplanted before the time of sale when they are 2 to 6 inches tall, according to the variety.

PLANTING TIME — Hardy species, such as snapdragons, can usually be planted with safety in the latter part of April, but it is safer to wait until May for most annuals. Heliotrope and other very tender plants should not be put out until after the middle of May. However, it is advisable to place orders as soon as possible, in order to receive the best selection of plants.

TERMS — The same as those in the general catalogue, except that we do not ship annuals by mail; nor by express beyond 25 miles. On all orders for annuals, accompanied by cash, which are received by March the first, we will allow a special 15% discount.

Alyssum Little Gem, Sweet Alyssum, 6 in. Compact edging plant, white flowers. Seedlings \$.25 per dozen.

Antirrhinum nanum, Snapdragon, 18 in.

Bonfire—fiery orange.

Crimson King—velvety crimson.

Nelrose-pink.

Picture—golden yellow suffused Apricot. Extra fine, blooming size plants, \$.40 for 3; \$1.50 per doz.; Seedlings \$.25 per doz.

- Shasta, 24 in., Rust Proof Snapdragon. Early, free-flowering, pure white.

3 for \$.55, \$2.00 per dozen.

Ageratum Blue Perfection, 2 ft. \$.85 per dozen; seedlings 25c per dozen.

— Blue Star, 8 in. From cuttings. \$.40 for 3; \$1.50 per dozen.

Calendula Ball's Orange, Pot Marigold, 18 in. Large double orange flowers.

Chrysantha, shaggy yellow.
 Seedlings, \$.25 per dozen.

Celosia plumosa Aurantiaca, Prince's Feather, 2 to 3 ft. Feathery heads of orange yellow flowers belonging to cockscomb family. \$1.00 per dozen.

Heliotrope, Old Fashioned, 18 in. Lavender and very fragrant.

Royal Fragrance. Immense trusses of deep violet flowers.
\$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen.

Impatiens Sultani, 1 ft.

Bright rose flowers, for shady situation.

\$.85 per dozen.

Ipomea caerulea Heavenly Blue Early-flowering. Morning Glory. Vine to 15 feet. Ethereal sky blue flowers.

3 for \$.40; \$1.50 per dozen.

— noctiflora, *Moonvine*, climbing to 15 feet. Large, fragrant, white flowers opening in the evening.

3 for \$.40; \$1.50 per dozen.

Lantana, 1-3 feet.

A tender shrub frequently used for bedding out; it is also valuable for summer bloom in a shady place.

- Compte de Biencourt. Outer flowers rose, center ones pale yellow.
- Pleur d'Or, bright clear yellow.
- delicatissima, Weeping Lanatana, 10 in., rose-lilac flowers.

All Lantanas, \$.40 for 3; \$1.50 per doz.

Lobelia Cambridge Blue, 4 in. Compact variety with light blue flowers.

— compacta, 4 in. Dark blue flowers. \$1.00 per dozen.

Marigold African Dwarf Orange, (Sutton)
18 in. Blooms earlier and more freely than
Tall African.

\$1.00 per dozen.

- French. 1 ft. Fertilizer and too much water will result in rank growth and few flowers.

Robert Beist. Rich mahogany brown. Lemon Ball. Clear creamy yellow. \$.85 per dozen; seedlings \$.25 per dozen.

Lilliput, 8 in. Small and neat.
Brown—a rich chestnut brown.
Sulphur—light rich yellow.
\$.85 per dozen; seedlings \$.25 per dozen.

Marigold (cont'd.)

— Tall French Josephine. 2 ft.
Single; golden yellow, maroon center;
excellent for cutting.
Seedlings, \$.25 per dozen.

- Guinea Gold. 30 in. Well-known recent introduction; loose orange flowers.
- Yellow Supreme. 30 in. Same pleasant habit as Guinea Gold; color clear yellow.
   Plants \$1.00 per dozen. Seedlings \$.35 per dozen.

Moonvine-See Ipomea.

Morning Glory-See Ipomea.

Petunia. These tender plants with their long flowering season are one of our specialties. We have tried out and discarded many varieties and can recommend the following.

Dwarf Compact varieties. 1 ft.
 Alderman, deep violet.
 Celestial Rose—deep rose pink.
 Heavenly blue—soft lavender blue.
 White Pearl (Sutton)—white.

— grandiflora. 18 in.
Salmon Color. Large ruffled flower of unusually clear color.

violacea. Deep violet flowers, 3-4 inches across, with a texture like velvet. The so-called "purple" petunia.

White Beauty. Ruffled white flowers.

All Petunias according to size and variety:

3 for \$.35; \$1.25 per dozen.

3 for \$.25; \$ .85 per dozen.

Phlox Drummundi grandiflora, 1 ft. Chamois rose—clear salmon pink. Yellow—soft buff yellow. Seedlings \$.25 per dozen.

Snapdragon—see Antirrhinum.

Tagetes Golden Gem, 6 in. Miniature marigolds.
Seedlings, \$.25 per dozen.

- see under Marigold.

Verbena erinoides, Moss Verbena, 9 in.

Spreading plant with lacy leaves and small, bright lilac flowers. Recommended for its graceful habit and ability to withstand heat and drought.

Plants \$.25 for 3; \$.85 per dozen. Seedlings \$.25 per dozen.

erinoides Rowena.
A new variety; very soft clear pink when grown in the sun.
\$.35 for 3; \$1.25 per dozen.

grandiflora, 6-12 in.
 Beauty of Oxford. Brilliant cerise red.
 Delta. Fragrant, clear soft blue flowers of the shade of Phlox divaricata.
 Lavender Glory. White eye.
 Mayflower. Large florets of softest, clearest

Mayflower. Large florets of softest, clearest pink.

White Milky white flowers

White. Milky white flowers.

Prices: \$.35 for 3; \$1.25 per dozen.

Vinca alba pura, 1 ft.

Shiny dark green leaves, pure white flowers.

\$.35 for 3; \$1.25 per dozen.

#### SAVE FIFTEEN PERCENT!

15% Discount will be allowed on all orders for annuals, accompanied by cash, received by March 1st. Such orders will also have the benefit of the first selection of plants.

#### ORDER NOW

Zinnia Dwarf Double, 2 ft.
Salmon rose
White
Yellow.

- Giant Dahlia Flowered, 3 ft.
   One of the best modern tall-growing types.
   Buttercup—creamy yellow.
   Exquisite—rose pink.
   Oriole—orange yellow.
- Haageana, Mexican Zinnia, 18 in.
   Single yellow and orange flowers.

- Lilliput, 18 in.
  Canary Yellow.
  Rose Gem.
  Valencia—burnt orange.
  White Gem.
- Picotee Delight, 2 ft.
   Rose colored flowers of a new type.
   Seedlings all above varieties, \$.25 per dozen.
- Sutton's Miniature Pompone Mixed.
   Very small, very double flowers in a variety of interesting colors.
   Seedlings, \$.35 per dozen.

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